

Appl. No. 09/376,017
Amdt. dated June 29, 2005
Reply to Office action of April 7, 2005

REMARKS

Reconsideration of this application is respectfully requested.

Applicants thank the Examiner for his courtesy in a telephone interview on June 24, 2005. In the interview, the "office action summary" page was discussed. Although the detailed office action indicated that the claims are allowed, the office action summary page contained a check box indicating that all the claims were rejected. The Examiner clarified that the claims were allowed. The language of claim 1 was also discussed. The Examiner suggested changing "copying" to "installing" in step (f), to use consistent terminology with step (e).

Applicants acknowledge with appreciation the examiner's indication that claims 1-10, 12-18, 20-22 and 24-34 are allowed.

Claims 1, 12, 15 and 16 have been amended as discussed during the interview, to use consistent terminology in steps (e) and (f).

The specification was objected to because the abstract was too long. A new abstract is submitted herewith. Withdrawal of the objection to the specification is respectfully requested.

The Declaration was found defective because two of the inventors, Keith Weng and Arthur Mateos, had not signed the original declaration. Enclosed herewith is a supplemental declaration complying with 37 CFR 1.67. The enclosed declaration lists all of the inventors, and has been signed by Messrs. Weng and Mateos. Withdrawal of the objection to the declaration is respectfully requested.

In view of the foregoing amendments and submissions, Applicant submits that all the objections in the official action have been overcome, and this application is in condition for allowance. Early notification to that effect is respectfully requested.

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The Assistant Commissioner for Patents is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any excess payment that may be associated with this communication to deposit account **04-1679**.

Respectfully submitted,

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